Reflections in Water - Waterlilies and Glass Supplies - Watercolor Workshop with Lorraine Watry

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If you are purchasing supplies, the artist or professional grade are highly recommended, student grade paper, brushes, and paint will make a difference in your painting. Bring the supplies you have and supplement as needed.



Main	Supp	lies:
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☐ - Paper - 1 sheet (22x30) of 140 lb. or 300 lb., cold press, artist grade (100% cotton) watercolor paper (Arches and Fabriano are my preferred brands). I will use Fabriano. You will only need 1/2 sheet (15"x22") for the main painting, but you might want some paper to test colors and try techniques
■ Brushes - at least two round watercolor brushes that come to a good point - a size #16 or larger, plus a #6 or #8, and a small flat #2 or #4 brush for lifting. If you have other brushes, please bring them. (My current favorite brushes are a #16 or #20 blend (½ synthetic/½ natural) - Silver Black Velvet brushes (a little more expensive). A 3/4" or 1" Mop brush by Royal #sg1400 (looks like a soft, fluffy, makeup brush) is good to have, too.
- Paint - Most of the paint I use is by Daniel Smith and a few from Holbein. D.S.'s paints are very vibrant and easily re-wet. The colors I suggest having for the painting are: Ultramarine Blue, Cerulean Blue Chromium (brighter than regular Cerulean), Cobalt Blue, Burnt Sienna, Quin. Burnt Scarlet, Quin. Lilac (or Quin. Coral), New Gamboge, Hansa Light/Lemon Yellow, Quin. Gold, Aureolin Yellow (mine is Holbein, if you have it). Also, please bring the colors you normally paint with in case there is a mix you like better than the ones I have chosen.
Other Supplies:
- a board to staple or tape your paper to. STAPLE - I use Gatorboard or gatorfoam (foam core with a hard surface) or TAPE - you can use a white, corrugated plastic sign (for garage sales from Home Depot or Art store) or Masonite.
- something to lean your board on, that is about 2" to 2 1/2" high. (Some students have used a tuna fish can, flattened roll of paper towels, piece of styrofoam etc.)
- palette with plenty of room for mixing. (A good starter option - Creative Mark Folding Plastic Palette: \$4-\$7, https://www.jerrysartarama.com/folding-plastic-palette . I use a Stephen Quiller 15"x15" palette - see image in upper right corner)
- masking tape (I use the High Adhesion masking tape by Scotch #2020 from Home Depot's paint
department. It says #2020 inside of the roll)
removable Masking fluid or frisket (make sure it doesn't say 'permanent'. I use the Winsor Newton,
colourless art masking fluid, also good is Pebeo "Art Drawing Gum".) Do Not shake!
- paper towels (Viva brand with smooth surface) OR I now use white Flour Sack Towels from Target,
cut larger towel into four smaller. They are machine washable.
 - 2 water containers (plastic or glass, should be about 5" or 6" high and around a 3" opening) - spray bottle (if you want for wetting your paint, I don't use one)
- pencil #2 and white or kneaded eraser (I use a mechanical pencil with HB lead to transfer drawing)
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- Note book or sketch book for notes, color testing, sketching

If you have time you can order your supplies by mail, some good online art supply stores are:

Cheap Joes - <u>www.cheapjoes.com</u> Jerry's Artarama - <u>www.jerrysartarama.com</u> Amazon.com (has some supplies)
Dick Blick - www.dickblick.com